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Tsuyoshi ISHIKAWA et al.

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For: TAPERED LIGHT GUIDE PLATE FOR SURFACE LIGHT SOURCE DEVICE AND METHOD OF MAKING BY INJECTION MOLDING VIA SUPPLEMENTARY CAVITY

ILTHOU OF WARMOUT INDESTROY WOLDING VIA OUT LEWENTA

## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2005, applicants elect Claims 1-37 of Group I, without traverse. Please CANCEL the non-elected claims 38-44, without prejudice.

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